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Some recent coverage in case you haven't seen it. The dam article has a good closing point. Jim is quoted in the landfill story.

Toxic PCBs behind aging Kalamazoo River dams pose new risks. A long time ago, paper mills dumped toxic PCBs, or polychlorinated biphenyls, into the Kalamazoo River. Though the Environmental Protection Agency has been working to remove them, there are still PCBs lurking behind the river's dams... and those dams are getting too old to hold them. National Public Radio http://bit.ly/185lmSe

Hopes climb amid talks to clean contaminated 'Mt. PCB' in Kalamazoo. John DeKoff lives only a few hundred yards from a mound of 1.5 million cubic yards of potentially carcinogenic, toxic material. While he prefers it stay right where it is, many of DeKoff's neighbors want what one called "Mt. PCB" out of the neighborhood as soon as possible. Detroit Free Press, Michigan. http://on.freep.com/12axVF4

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